

HOOPER IN SPECIAL MESSAGE

Ouachita College Band to Present Program Friday

Organization Said to Be Among Best College Bands in State

SIX LOCAL MEMBERS

Program to Be Rendered at City Hall Beginning at 8 O'clock

The Ouachita College Military Band which presents a program at the city hall, next Friday night, February 19, for the County Council of the Parent Teachers Association is as follows:

Program
Semper Fidelis, March—Sousa
Band: Music Men, March, Allen; Semper Fidelis, March, Eubank; My Old Kentucky Home, Overture, Goldman; Arr. by Tobani—Rogers Dolarhite, trumpet soloist.

Male Quartette: Kentucky Babe Buck and Geibel; The World is Waiting for the Sunrise, Lockhart and Seitz—Horace Whitten, Roger Dolarhite, Herbert Daugherty, Leon Sipes.

Band: Step on It, March King; Clarinet Solo: Angels' Serenade, G. Brada—Farrin Green.

Band: The Stars and Stripes Forever, March, Sousa; Pina Solo: Selah, Culp—Raymond Culp.

Band: Cuckoo, March, Fillmore; Vocal Solo: Trader John, Moore and Flagler—Herbert Daugherty.

Band: Princess of India, Overture, King—Raymond Culp, Trumpet Soloist.

Trombone Solo: Love's Hope, Astor James Birkhead.

Band: The Messenger March, Barnhouse; The Star Spangled Banner, Key, Arr. by Al Haynes.

Intermission
Orchestra and vocalists: Steamboat Bill, When the Band of the Night Meets the Gold of the Day, Sweet Sue, Home, Lies, A Hot Dog, a Blanket and you.

Band: Vocal, Ouachita.

Personnel of Band
First Lt. Loyce E. Biles, Director.

Farrin Greene, student director.
Trumpets: Raymond Culp, Roger Dolarhite, Bennie Johnson, George Emory, Cecil Randolph, Herbert Daugherty.

Trombones: Edwin E. Nowlin, T. Kossuth Coats, James Birkhead, Harry Hawkins, Howard Houston.

Clarences: Farrin Green, H. C. Lollar, Chas. Figley, Karl Coats.

Allos: A. L. Merrill, Leon Sipes, B. P. Haynes, Noble Welch.

Saxophone: Comer Routon.

Baritone: Horace Whitten.

Bass: Charles Welch, Al Daniel.

Drums: J. T. Bowden, Jr., Jack Yeager, Wilbur Breed.

Accompanist, Raymond Culp.

Vaudeville by Sipes and Bowden.

The program will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. Many Hope boys belong to the personnel of the band, the student director being Farrin Greene.

Roosevelt Hears Farley Defense

Governor Reserves Decision on Ouster Against Tammany Leader

ALBANY, N. Y.—(AP)—The high point in the Hofstadter Legislative Committee's inquiry into New York city municipal affairs was reached here Tuesday, when Sheriff Thomas M. Farley, of New York county, powerful figure in Tammany Hall, appeared personally at a hearing before Governor Roosevelt and fought proceedings to oust him from office.

His quizzing, in which the governor took part, followed an afternoon of verbal fireworks between Siegfried Hartmann, his attorney, and Samuel Seabury, attorney for the committee, who seeks the Tammany sheriff's removal on the grounds he banked large sums in excess of his salary, protected gambling in his political clubhouse and appropriated interest on litigants' funds entrusted to him.

The governor reserved decision on the ouster demand.

Legion Auxiliary Meeting Announced

All Members Urged to Be Present on Thursday Night at 7:30

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold their regular meeting at the city hall Thursday night beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

All members are urged to attend this meeting as there will be important matters to be discussed.

Any person who is eligible to become a member of the auxiliary is especially invited to attend this meeting.

Photo May Send Him to Chair



Sam F. Aiken, alias C. W. Shuw, shown here, can blame a photograph for the fact that he now faces the electric chair in Georgia, where he escaped from a prison two years ago, just 12 days before his scheduled execution for murder. A man in Houston, Tex., saw Aiken's picture in a detective magazine, recognized him as an employee of a local restaurant, called police.

Denounces Efforts to Glorify Hoover

Robinson Scores Orators Who Praise President for Relief Legislation

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Speaking in the Senate Tuesday the party leader—Robinson, of Arkansas—belabored Republican speakers whom he said have undertaken to "glorify" President Hoover because of the vital legislation that has had bi-partisan support.

Referring to the Lincoln birthday addresses by Republicans, the Arkansas senator said they had in common a declaration that the president was being treated unjustly and an appeal to sympathy. Criticisms of the presidential course, he said, have come mainly "from madmen of the party to which he belongs."

"Every day some Republican orator tells the country that Mr. Hoover has saved the United States," Robinson said.

Waving his arm toward Vice President Curtis, whose sister, Mrs. Dolly Gann, recently was out speaking for the administration, the Democratic leader cited report of "a lady of national renown" having told the public "there is no such thing as a panic or depression, that it has all vanished before the magic wand of the president."

Senator Dill, Democrat, Washington, attacked the administration course as having helped not at all to counteract the economic situation.

Sterlings Declines to Send Maddi to Missouri

AUSTIN, Tex.—Governor Ross S. Sterling Tuesday night declined to send Victor Maddi, held at Houston as the alleged machine gun slayer of Officer O. P. Carpenter of Kansas City, to Missouri unless officers there produce better evidence to support a requisition.

Friends of Maddi presented a complete alibi for the accused Sicilian, placing him in Houston from January 26 to now. The killing with which he is charged occurred about 6:30 a. m. on February 8 during an attempted robbery of the Mercantile Trust company.

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FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:
REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



A pillow fight doesn't always require two people.

Merchants Bureau and C. of C. Will Use Same Office

Commercial Organizations Granted Old C. of C. Space in City Hall

CONVENIENT OFFICES

Chamber Board to Meet With Kiwanis Club at 7 Friday Night

A joint community office was created Tuesday night when Hope city council granted permission to the Chamber of Commerce and the Retail Merchants association to use the offices now occupied by the Chamber in the city hall.

The petition was presented by C. W. Weltman and Theo P. Witt, committed from the Merchants association and Alex. H. Washburn and Joe R. Floyd, president and secretary, respectively, of the Chamber of Commerce.

J. C. Carlton, secretary of the Merchants association and manager of their Credit Bureau, will move into the city hall offices this week, he announced. Either Mr. Floyd or Mr. Carlton will be in the office during business hours—but except for the centralizing of offices in the municipal building there will be no connection between the two commercial organizations.

Mr. Floyd announced Wednesday that the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce had been invited to attend the dinner meeting of Hope Kiwanis club at 7 o'clock Friday night at the Capital Hotel.

Community plans for 1932 will be discussed after dinner.

Farm Outlook For 1932 Held Gloomy

Cotton Bright Spot of Agriculture With Market Advantages

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Reduced demand and large supplies generally face farmers as they enter upon a new agricultural year.

This was stressed by the Agricultural Department in its 1932 outlook report, which mentioned the world's unsettled business activity, stringent credit, foreign competition and trade barriers and depreciated currency.

"The low level of industrial activity and consumer incomes in 1931," the report said, "will continue to influence domestic demand for farm products in 1932."

"The foreign demand for the agricultural products of the United States," it added, "has fallen to a low level and at the present moment there is very little definite evidence of significant improvements in the near future."

"The Reconstruction Corporation and recently proposed legislation," the report said, "are expected to be important factors in restoring confidence and bring about more nearly normal credit conditions."

Abandonment of the gold standard by foreign countries also affects American exports. Competition becomes increased.

"The importance of this increased competition," the report said, "varies considerably with different products entering into our export trade. It is probably most severe in the case of wheat, Canada, Argentina and Australia, with their depreciated currencies, have an advantage over the United States in selling in foreign markets."

Cotton and some types of tobacco have been less affected than other products. This was said to be due to low prices and the natural advantage the United States has in production and sale.

The economists said there was some prospect for a slight reduction in world wheat acreage this year, especially in the United States. The apparent supply of American cotton remaining in this country on January 1, was 17,000,000 bales, compared with 12,700,000 a year ago.

Fertilizer sales have dropped sharply and more boll weevils have entered hibernation, indicating a possibility of a smaller crop this year.

Dairy farming continues to lead the other branches in monetary returns. Livestock producers still face large supplies and low prices.

Man Held in Slaying Being Held at Hugo

MUSKOGEE, Okla.—Nathan Rightwell, charged with first-degree murder, was taken to Hugo from here, where he was held to await the next term of district court.

Rightwell pleaded guilty before Justice of the Peace L. W. Oakes to the slaying of J. V. Buchanan, detective of the St. Louis San Francisco railroad, December 16, 1931.

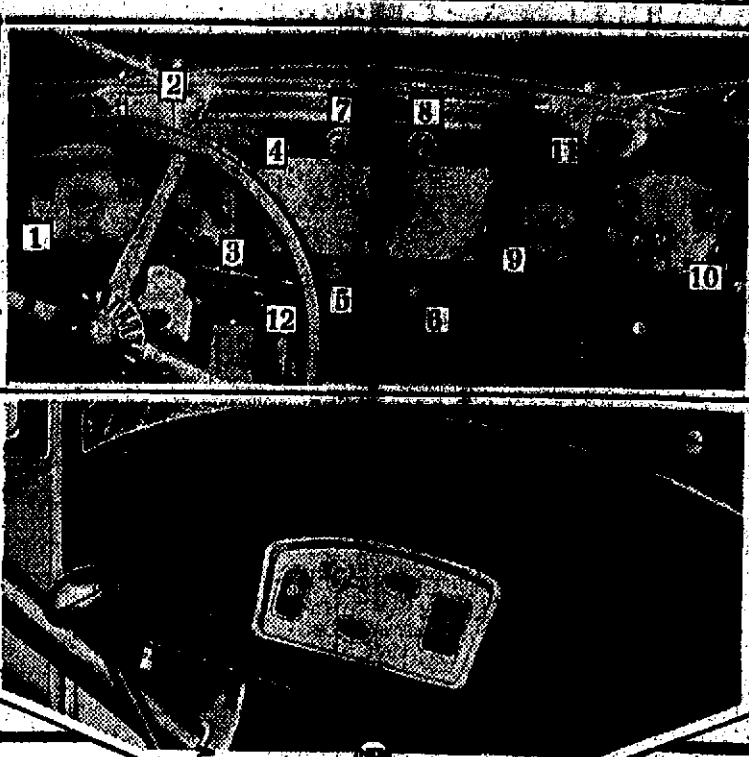
Dance Scheduled On Saenger Stage

Hilburn Graves' Orchestra to Furnish Music, Friday Night Feb. 19

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The picture program will be completed before the dance begins and will feature Ann Harding in "Pres-tige."

Everything But Rain Gauge



DETROIT—(NEA)—Automotive engineers, in new models shown this year, have devoted much time to development of the instrument panel.

Above is contrasted a 1932 panel with one of just two years ago. The upper photo shows the make of instruments which are incorporated in the panel of one of today's cars. This panel contains 21 instruments and switches. Below, the panel of 1930 shows only six instruments.

Section No. 1 in the 1932 panel contains engine heat indicator, speedometer and trip indicator, air pressure gauge, Numbers 2 and 11 are windshield wipers. Section 3 contains spark, throttle and instrument light buttons. No. 4 is glove compartment; No. 5 is ignition lock; 6, gearshift; 7, dashlight; 8, cigarette lighter; 9, section containing choke, carburetor heat control and starter buttons; 10 panel containing oil level, amperage and gasoline indicators, and 12 is the light switch.

The plain panel of 1930 contains ignition lock, choke button, speedometer and oil, gas and amperage indicators.

Fugitive Held Here Ex-Representative

Arrest of Ivan Wright Is Laid to Illinois Campaign Picture

ROBINSON, Ill.—A campaign picture that sent Ivan Wright, 41, formerly of Lawrenceville to the state legislature in 1927 probably will result in sending the former representative to the penitentiary for forgery, Wright is under arrest at Little Rock, Ark.

Arkansas officers arrested Wright from a photograph distributed by local officials which was taken from the Illinois Blue Book. He has evaded arrest since indictment here in September, 1929. Wright is alleged to have forged a note for \$1,800 in Flat Rock before his election.

LITTLE ROCK—Detective Sergeants Peterson and Fink arrested Wright in Little Rock Monday night and jailed him awaiting the arrival of an officer from Robinson. The detectives obtained a photograph of the fugitive as well as an address, but the information and picture failed to aid them in their work. Illinois officers are expected to arrive in Little Rock Saturday.

Buffalo Gnats in Eastern Arkansas

State Veterinarian Warns Farmers to Protect Stock From Pests

LITTLE ROCK.—A warning to farmers, especially in the eastern section of the state, against invasions of buffalo gnats was issued Tuesday by Dr. Joe H. Bux, state veterinarian.

The gnats have caused much trouble among livestock, particularly horses and mules, and a report of one invasion already this year has been received from near Helena, Dr. Bux said.

Little is known about habits of the gnats, and the first thing a farmer should do when he believed the insects are swarming in his neighborhood is to spray his horses and mules. If animals become ill, a veterinarian should be called, Dr. Bux said.

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Harry Powers Denied New Trial in Slaying

CLARKSBURG, W. Va.—(AP)—Harry F. Powers, convicted mass killer under sentence to be hanged March 18, Tuesday was denied a new trial.

Judge Birk S. Strathers refused Powers' pleas after his attorney, J. Ed Law, had presented his petition, bills of exceptions and a record of the trial transcript.

Powers was convicted in December of the murder of Mrs. Dorothy Fraser Lemke, Northboro, Mass., divorcee, at his Quiet Dell garage near Clarksburg.

Two Bluejackets Wounded Fatally By Artillery Fire

Shells Fall in Patrolled Area of U. S. But None Injured

PREPARE FOR BATTLE

Chinese to Be Given One More Chance to Leave Shanghai

SHANGHAI, (AP)—During an artillery duel between the Chinese and Japanese guns Wednesday, two British bluejackets were fatally wounded on the docks at the Whangpoo rivers edge.

A number of shells fell in the international settlement in an area patrolled by the United States marines, but no marines were injured, though several Chinese were killed.

Japanese headquarters announced Wednesday night that the Chinese would "be given one more chance" to withdraw voluntarily from the Shanghai area.

In the meantime thousands of Japanese soldiers worked furiously at the new airbases near their headquarters, assembling the greatest air armada ever put together on Chinese soil for what observers believed would bring the greatest aerial battle since the World War.

Japanese naval headquarters said that the Chinese had directed "the heaviest artillery fire thus used on the Honkew Japanese positions, inflicting heavy casualties."

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Demurrers Denied In Officials' Cases

Former Sheriff and Treasurer of Newton Co. Go to Trial at Jasper

JASPER—Circuit Judge J. F. Koone Monday overruled demurrers to each of the indictments against former Sheriff and Collector Will Jones and former Treasurer Curvis Young, charged with misappropriation of county funds, and ordered trial of their cases to proceed, at an adjourned term of court which opened Monday morning.

Selection of a jury was started and when court recessed this afternoon eight jurors had been accepted by both sides. Each of the former county officials is charged in one indictment with embezzlement, and in another with rendering false accounts.

Their alleged misappropriation total approximately \$23,000. Demurrers to the indictments sought to have them quashed on the ground that they failed to set out sufficient cause for action.

Mrs. Ida C. Ruggles Dies On Tuesday

Funeral Services Will Be Conducted Thursday at Shover Springs

Mrs. Ida C. Ruggles, aged 74, pioneer resident of Hempstead county, died at her home on the Shover Springs road at 5 p. m. Tuesday following a lengthy illness.

Funeral services will be held at Shover Springs at 1 p. m. Thursday in charge of the Rev. Francis A. Buddin, of Texarkana, former pastor of the First Methodist church here.

She is survived by four sons: Oden F. Ruggles, and Lellman Ruggles, of Hope; W. B. Ruggles, El Dorado; Weldon D. Ruggles, Pittsburg, Kansas; two daughters, Miss Forrest Ruggles, Hope, and Mrs. Louvenie Sembach, Pittsburg, Pa., and 16 grand children and one great grand child.

Two Columbus Stores Are Robbed

J. S. Wilson Suffers \$50 Loss; R. C. Stuart Is Also Loser

Two burglaries were reported in Columbus, 18 miles northwest of Hope, Tuesday night.

J. S. Wilson, merchant, reported his loss at approximately \$50, consisting of dry goods, snuff and tobacco.

The store of R. C. Stuart was also entered. The only articles reported missing from his store was a quantity of vaseline.

Officers at Columbus have not made any arrests.

Both stores were entered through windows, which were broken by the robbers.

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Details On Federal Loan Plans Given

Data Is Received From Washington by Extension Service Chief

LITTLE ROCK.—Details of the manner in which government crop production loans are to be handled in Arkansas were set forth in data received from Washington, recently by T. Roy Reid, assistant director in charge of the state Agricultural Extension Service. Most of the loans will be handled through the same agencies that functioned last year.

Loans this year will not be limited as to use as were the loans made last year for seed, feed and fertilizer. Any farmer needing financial assistance will be eligible to receive government money on a crop mortgage, provided the committee approves the application.

Loans this year will be limited to not more than \$400 to an individual, and not more than \$1,600 may be borrowed by tenants of any landlord in a county.

In sections where fertilizer is commonly used farmers may obtain as much as \$5 per acre for production purposes. Where fertilizer is not used, loans will be limited to \$3 per acre. As much as \$20 per acre may be obtained for the purpose of growing truck and potatoes. Borrowers may spend as much as \$1 per acre for repairs and miscellaneous production costs. An allowance of \$1 per acre will be approved for spraying and dusting purposes.

No loan will be approved for cotton production in excess of 65 per cent of the acreage planted to cotton by each applicant last year. Headquarters for this district are in Memphis.

Home Room Group Present Program

Helpfulness Subject of Class in Program Rendered Monday

The 9-A Home Room of the Junior Senior High school, which is under the supervision of Paul I. Hinant, presented a very interesting program on "Helpfulness," Monday morning, January 15, 1932.

The program was as follows: Introduction—Pauline Simpson and Sybil Williams.

A story, Richard's Security—G. B. Martin.

A poem, Helpin' Out—Beatrice Gordon.

A story, Helping Others—Willard Anderson.

The Story of the Samaritan—Ruth Ann Cumble.

A story, A Mother Too Many—Carol Brown.

A story, The Ant and the Dove—Pauline Webb.

A poem, Stretch It a Little—LaGrone Williams.

Every Monday morning for this semester the 9-A group are planning to have interesting and worthwhile programs.

Maurice Costello Near Death at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, (AP)—One of the screen's first matinee idols, Maurice Costello, was in a critical condition Tuesday as the result of a cerebral hemorrhage.

The actor, who first appeared on the screen 20 years ago, has shown improvement since he was stricken and has "a good chance to pull through," his physician, Dr. John Bonfiglio, said.

Costello was stricken Monday as he was seated in a Beverly Hills drug store. He is the father of Dolores and Helen Costello, the former the wife of John Barrymore and the latter the estranged wife of Lew Cody.

Reorganization of Government Urged By Chief Executive

Consolidation of Several Government Units Also Advocated

FOUR NEW POSITIONS

Both Branches of Congress Urged to Give Matter Consideration

WASHINGTON, (AP)—As a prelude to a wholesale reorganization of the government, President Hoover Wednesday dispatched a special message to Congress recommending creation of four new federal departments.

He recommended abolition of the major alterations and streamlining of overlapping activities in order to subtract "millions of dollars annually" from the tax burden.

Authority also was asked of Chief Executive to transfer and consolidate executive and administrative groups merely through the issuance of executive orders, each to take effect within 60 days before becoming effective.

In the present crisis, the president declared, "the absolute necessity of the most drastic economy makes the problem of government reorganization one of paramount importance."

Four New Posts
Here are the four new posts which would have Congress create:

A "public works administration" to construct and sometimes operate federal projects, except those of army and navy.

An assistant secretary of commerce, drawing salary from Commerce Department, to coordinate the administration, including inland waterway.

An assistant secretary for education, to combine now scattered education, its commissioner and other educational activities.

An assistant secretary for agricultural research, broadening the duties of the present assistant secretary.

An assistant secretary for agricultural economy, giving higher title to the present director of agricultural sales of the government.

Would Mean Big Saving
The President informed Congress the salaries of these officials would cost an additional \$40,000 a year, but that the "saving in the cost of the administration would be many times this sum."

No mention was made by Mr. Hoover of moves now afoot on Capitol Hill to consolidate the army and navy into a single department. He is known to be opposed to such a step, desiring to retain the present two major executive departments as a frame work.

Recalling that other Presidents had requested general consolidation without major results, the President warned Congress that such steps in the past have been "a signal for the mobilization of opposition from all quarters," especially within the departments affected.

Nevertheless, he laid down the principle that there must be reorganization of activities under the head of "Major Purposes," and with administrative and legislative functions having "single-headed responsibility."

Conservation Urged
At the same time he recommended a separate legislative reorganization of policy in two fields—reclamation and conservation of the western ranges.

Reclamation, he said, should be broadened to include conservation of water by storage in all parts of the country. Such projects as Boulder Dam, Grand Coulee on the Columbia river, the dam on the Umteilla and Cove Creek Dam at Muscle Shoals, he said, should go forward when contracts can be made for the sale of power.

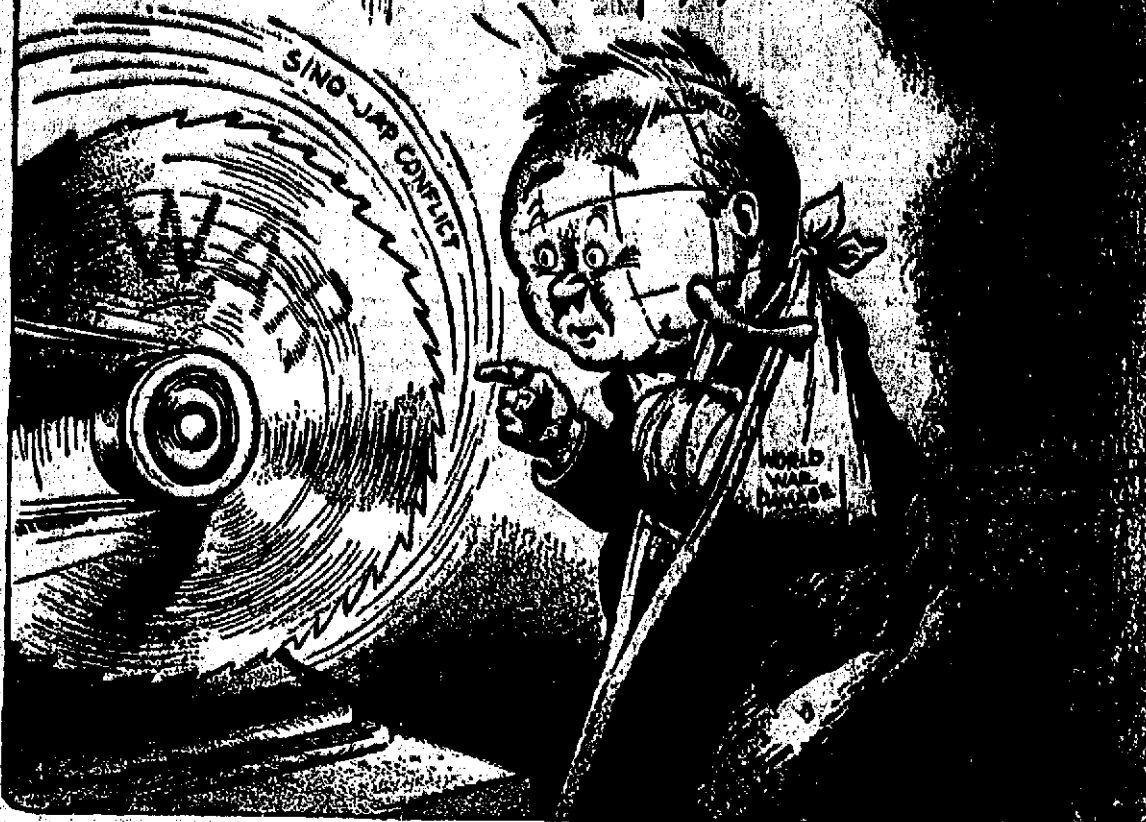
The President endorsed measures now before Congress to have western states accept surface title to certain remnants of the public domain within their borders, with mineral rights maintained by the government.

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Star

Excuse It, Please!

DON'T MONKEY
WITH THE
BUZZ SAW!



The Star's Platform

CITY

Develop the resources of the municipal power plant to develop the resources of Hope.

COUNTY

Develop a highway program providing for the construction of a complete all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the present highway.

STATE

Continued progress on the state highway program. Enact a tax reform, and a more efficient government through the use of expenditures.

A New Danger

A MAN who has not had any kind of job for more than a year wrote a letter to a middle-western newspaper the other day. After telling of his plight he remarked:

"When you see your last few dollars going, no hope of work, not a friend who gives a damn, your thoughts are not pleasant as you become bitter. It's this bitterness and hate that terrify me more than financial embarrassment."

That brief sentence goes about as nearly to the heart of the matter as any one sentence could. It illuminates, that is the most dismaying part of the entire depression.

It is never easy to see what is going on under our noses. Any highly significant change in the emotional background of the ordinary man is usually recognizable only after it has taken place. But it is beginning to become evident that unless present conditions change shortly, we in the United States shall have built up a class comparable to the proletariat of Europe; a class that sticks to the bottom rung of the ladder, has no hope of rising any higher and looks with suspicion and enmity on those above it.

Heretofore, we have not had such a class. The old American tradition—and it is one of the finest traditions ever given to any people—has always been strong, even at the bottom of the heap. Hope was always a common possession of every American. Everyone felt that the freedom and equality of opportunity about which we talk so much were more than empty dreams.

But now the inexorable force of events is beginning to produce a change. The bitterness and hate that this man speaks of are beginning to spread; and they are spreading because the old tradition is losing its force.

There is the real danger that the depression has brought us. It is a worse thing to contemplate even than hunger and cold and privation that are the lot of so many. We must check it—by showing a greater readiness to help those who need help, by making more determined efforts to protect those who need protection. If we fail, we shall have infinite cause to regret it.

Where the Rub Comes

THE per capita cost of state government in Arkansas in 1918 is said to have been \$2.46. That means that it cost every inhabitant of the state about two dollars and a half to pay for the support of the state government.

The report goes on to show that this cost of state government has increased steadily, until today it is \$8.80. It costs every citizen of the state that much now to support state government. If you don't pay your part somebody is paying more, but that much per capita is being paid.

The Arkansas Industries association explains that "such an increase in the cost of government would not be alarming if accompanied by a proportionate increase on the economic wealth of the state." But there is the rub.

There isn't as much wealth in Arkansas subject to taxation today as there was in 1918. There is where the cart is ahead of the horse.

We have increased the taxation heavily and not increased the wealth to be taxed, and with the taxes so much higher per capita, we will have a hard time increasing the wealth.

Arkansas has invited resources, but before there is any development capital will ask a lot of questions. What is the tax rate? And there will be another rub.

This depression will be over some day. It can not last. Nobody expects it to last. And when the confidence of the people is restored, and a couple of billion dollars go out of hiding to find investment, where will Arkansas come in? We believe that we have the cart before the horse now, and that the fact of the high taxes will keep capital out of Arkansas unless we do something about it.

You can't look for hope or help from the politicians. If there is any hope in the situation it will have to come from an overthrow of the politicians. And that isn't likely to happen.

The people are not alarmed over the situation of this ever growing cost of state government. They won't be until it is too late to apply a remedy. It is rather low now.

The Arkansas Industries association is trying to get the people of Arkansas to thinking out of terms of politics. It will be an uphill pull. It will take a lot of influence. Eventually it will work. But when?

The average Arkansas citizen should be grateful there is a state organization of this sort to start driving home the facts to the people. The institution is supported by perhaps less than 1,000 men, yet it is undertaking a work that would benefit every citizen in Arkansas. —Hot Springs Sentinel-Record.

French Glider Club

PARIS.—Gliding in France is reaching a peak of popularity almost equal to the favor that sport holds in Germany. The Avia Society, national gliding organization, has established headquarters in the Auvergne Mountains, at La Banne d'Orcanville. It is there where the country's experiments with gliders are being carried on.

Wains Aviators

WASHINGTON.—U. S. pilots, who contemplate going to China for positions should think twice before they go, the U. S. Department of Commerce warns. Col. Clarence M. Young, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Aeronautics, reports that the posters appearing in various sections of the United States and Canada, offering promising positions, are misleading.

Pilots Show Increase

WASHINGTON.—At the close of 1931 there were more licensed airplane pilots in the United States than there were planes. A report from the Aeronautics Branch of the U. S. Department of Commerce shows. There were more than 17,700 licensed pilots, and only 10,780 planes. New York had the largest number of planes and California the largest number of pilots.

Stop Stunting

WASHINGTON.—Stunt flyers led all others in violating air commerce regulations during 1931, the U. S. Department of Commerce reports. There were 58 violations of the acrobatic clause and 52 of that on low flying.

Robbery Attempt Ends in Suicide

Former Wealthy Floridian Tries to Recoup Loss in Hold-Up

LOS ANGELES.—(AP)—An attempt to recoup a \$200,000 fortune his wife said he lost in a Florida bank failure was blamed Monday for the death of Anton Christ, 60, accountant who killed himself in a Los Angeles bank when a robbery plot was frustrated.

His widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Waters Christ, a lecturer, said Christ had been despondent since he lost \$200,000 in the Bank of Bay Biscayne, Miami, Fla., in 1928.

Christ walked into the real estate office of A. J. Martz and thrust a black cylinder into Martz's pocket. "It's a bomb," he told Martz. "Give me your money or I will blow up the place. I have the battery in my pocket."

Martz said he had no money. Christ demanded he take him to a downtown bank to draw out his savings. Martz complied. Inside the bank Martz tried for help and leaped away from Christ to break a connection between the battery and the bomb.

As J. J. Fitzpatrick, special bank policeman, started toward Christ the accountant drew a revolver and shot himself through the head.

Supreme Court Fails to Decide Cotton Tax

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The supreme court held Monday that a suit challenging Mississippi's tax on cotton buyers had been improperly brought and it set aside the action of a federal court in Mississippi enjoining collection of the tax.

The court said that J. F. Rodgers, of Clarksville, and other cotton dealers in Mississippi, made a mistake when they brought an equity suit against enforcement of the privilege tax.

The court said relief should have been sought by a suit at law in the state courts, or a suit at law in federal court providing the latter had jurisdiction.

Greek Air Show

ATHENS.—The first aeronautical

Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the Democratic primary election August 9, 1932.

HEMPSTEAD COUNTY

For Sheriff

EDMON M. BUTTON

Druggist Hope

CITY OF HOPE

Democratic Primary Feb. 23

For City Clerk

FRED WEBB

For City Attorney

PAT CASEY

W. S. ATKINS

For Alderman

Ward One
L. C. (LEX) HELMS
BENNIE BENTON
ROY ANDERSON
E. G. COOP

Ward Two
ROY STEPHENSON
L. A. KEITH

Ward Four
CLYDE A. MONTGOMERY
IRA HALLIBURTON
A. M. McKAMEY

show to be held in this city will open in Zappion Palace April 1 and continue for a month. The purpose of the show, according to American Consul Edwin A. Platt, is to put on display airplanes especially suited for tourist travel.

A
90 million dollar
reason

A SECTION OF A LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO WAREHOUSE WHERE TOBACCOS ARE STORED TO AGE AND MELLOW.

why Chesterfields are Better!

Just think what this means for Chesterfield smokers. It means that the larger part of 90 million dollars is invested in Domestic and Turkish tobaccos that are being properly aged in Nature's way, and cured so as to make them sweeter and milder.

CHESTERFIELD tobacco is packed in wooden cases, each containing about 1,000 pounds, and stored for two years in modern, up-to-date warehouses.

These warehouses, if placed end-to-end, would be about four miles in length. From floor to ceiling they are filled with these casks of fine tobacco, ageing in Nature's slow but sure way. It takes a lot of money to make a good cigarette—money to buy good tobaccos and money to age them properly.

CHESTERFIELDS are milder, and taste better... there's a 90 million dollar reason why! Just try them!

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SOCIETY NEWS

Mrs. Sid Henry

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Let us today do something that shall take a little sadness from the world's vast store. And may we be so favored as to make of joy's too scant sum a little more. However meagre be our worldly wealth, let us give something that shall aid our kind—A word of courage, or a thought of health. Dropped as we pass for troubled hearts to find. Let us to-night look back upon the span 'Twixt dawn and dark, and to our conscience say Because of some good act to best or man, "The world is better than we have lived to-day."—E. W. W.

Members of the Pat Cleburn chapter, U. D. C., are asking for donations of shrubs to beautify the grounds of the War time Memorial Capital at Washington. This will be done on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, February 22d. At that time, any one interested is cordially invited to go to Washington meet with the Washington people and take part in beautifying this historic spot. George Ware, Manager of the Experiment Station will supervise the planting and landscaping. Mrs. R. T. White will have charge of planting the trees in celebration of the birth of George Washington. Those having shrubs to donate call either Mrs. White, Miss Maggie Bell or Mrs. Edgar Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Berkson will arrive Thursday from New York for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McCorkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Stonewall Beauchamp Jr., of Little Rock, were Tuesday night guests of Mrs. J. T. Hicks, on route to Dallas, Tex., for a visit of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Spragins were called to Monticello on Tuesday to attend the bedside of Benjamin Hyatt, who has recently undergone a serious operation at his home in this city.

Misses Ida and Mollie Hatch left Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Goodlett in their country home near Ozan.

The John Cain Chapter of D. A. R. will entertain at a luncheon on Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haynes on West Second street. Out of town guests will be Mrs. Martin Steele, and Mrs. G. McCowan, Mrs. T. H. Rainey and Mrs. J. Collins, of DeQueen.

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Torch Death Case Is to Be Dropped

Marion (Ark.) Officials to Give Up Probe of C. Rex King

MARION — (AP) — Sheriff Howard Curdin said Monday he thought murder charges against C. Rex King, accused in the torch-slaping of two North Carolina boys near Marion, Ark., nearly two years ago, would be dropped this week.

The victims, Burton Hensley and Woodrow S. Wilson, were found lying in the embers of a camp fire below Harahan viaduct.

King was arrested at Asheville, N. C., and later brought here where he was held several days. At a preliminary hearing he introduced an alibi showing he was in Texas at the time of the slaying.

Jots Around Shover

Mr. Douthitt, Harmony school teacher, spent the week-end with his family at Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Ottwell entertained with a social Saturday night. Mrs. J. R. Gray accompanied her sister, Pauline Sanford, to Soper Sunday afternoon. She expects to visit her sisters, Mrs. Violet Cobb and Mrs. Dottie Bearden and brother, Silas Sanford and families before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon have moved into the house with Mrs. Nellie Leach. Mr. Dixon expects to work her farm. Harold Sanford and father, H. B. Sanford, were in Hope Saturday on business and visiting the families of Willis Cobb and Henry Bearden.

P. P. Ottwell and son, Milton, were in Hope Saturday.

Almadene and Doyle Arnold spent Sunday night at Mr. Ottwell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Mitchell visited Saturday night and Sunday with relatives near Bodewau.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Phillips visited last week with his sister, Mrs. C. B. Rogers.

A recent letter from Mrs. Clint Martin of Colorado Springs, Colo., tells us they expect to visit here this summer. There are yet some very bad places in the road from this vicinity to Shover.

We certainly think our rural route carrier, Mr. Fred Peck, needs a word of praise for his promptness in delivering the mail regardless of bad roads and so much rain.

Burning off grass and cleaning gardens, preparing for the regular planting time is keeping most every one employed. No doubt the tillers of the soil will not long be among the jobless for a while.

Mr. Ottwell sold some nice pigs to Mr. Mitchell and Mr. England last week.

Elizabeth Davis, Duet, Winnie Lee Floyd, Marilyn Ward, Dance Caprice, Hahn; Marjorie Higgins, Rustle of Spring, Sinding; Marilyn Ward, Reading, Bobby Nell Martin; German Dance, Beethoven; Luther Hollamon, Jr. Fun, Marilyn Ward and Luther Hollamon, Jr.

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To Britain as U. S. Envoy



Secretary of the Treasury in three cabinets, Andrew W. Mellon now has been named by President Hoover to become U. S. Ambassador to Great Britain. Here Mellon is pictured, at the time of his appointment, as he emerged from a conference with Secretary of State Stimson in Washington.

Mena Farmers Planning for Blackberry Crop

MENA, Ark.—Arrangements have been made to handle the large blackberry crop expected this season in the vicinity of Mena, through the canneries at Wickes, managed by the Johnston Canning company. With an increased acreage of the fruit being planted this year, it is expected a cannery will be located in Mena for the 1933 crop.

Legumes Best Timothy in Forage Crop Test

URBANA, Ill.—(AP)—Timothy, once a widely grown hay crop, is running a hopeless fourth in a test the University of Illinois college of agriculture is making on a soil experiment field to determine which of the common forage crops a most beneficial to the grain crop which follows.

Alfalfa, red clover and soy beans, all legumes, in that order, are far ahead of the non-leguminous timothy. The four crops are grown side by side in a four-year rotation of corn, oats, wheat and hay.

How One Woman Lost 10 Pounds in a Week

Mrs. Betty Luedeker of Dayton writes: "I am using Kruschen to reduce weight—I lost 10 pounds in one week and cannot say too much to recommend it."

To take off fat easily, SAFELY and HARMLESSLY—take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen in a glass of hot water in the morning before breakfast—it is the safe way to lose unsightly fat and one bottle that lasts 4 weeks costs but a trifle. Get it at John S. Gibson Drug Co., or any drugstore in America. If this first bottle fails to convince you this is the safest way to lose fat—money back.

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Robbers Raid Two Tennessee Banks

Bank Official Wounded as He Interrupts Hold-up in Tennessee

MEMPHIS.—(AP)—Two bank bandit gangs struck twice in the Memphis territory Friday, obtaining approximately \$7,000 in currency in raids at Sherman, Miss., and Yorkville, Tenn., where a bank official was wounded seriously.

The first robbery occurred at the Bank of Yorkville, in Gibson county, Tennessee, between Trenton and Newbern where \$2500 was obtained by three men who pointed pistols at Miss Mary Pack, assistant cashier, at work in the bank, which was closed in observance of Lincoln's birthday. When Boyce Forrester, cashier, entered the lobby, he was shot in the arm and shoulder. The bandits fled in a sedan.

A lone, poorly dressed bandit entered the Bank of Sherman at Sherman, Miss., shortly before noon. He held Cashier W. B. Brown at a distance with a revolver, took approximately \$4500 in currency from cash drawers and departed in an automobile in which a companion waited outside.

Both cars were reported as headed toward Memphis and police were patrolling highways leading into the city.

Two School Students, Bus Driver Are Hurt

MCOMB, Miss.—(AP)—Two school pupils and the driver of the bus carrying 35 children were injured Friday in a collision of the bus with a large truck. The accident happened four miles north of Summit, Luther Brown, his 12-year-old daughter, and Jodie Parnell, 9, daughter of Mrs. Joe Parnell, received head cuts and injuries. The injured were brought to McComb hospital for treatment.

Confession Reported in Fatal Bank Holdup

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Determination of Kansas City police to avenge the brutal slaying of a member of the city's detective force, shot down by machine gun bullets as he sought to frustrate a daring bank robbery plot, resulted Wednesday in the confession of one suspect.

John (Blackie) Mingora, 34, confessed he was one of the two gangsters who riddled Oliver P. Carpenter with almost a score of bullets while the Italian waited for two companions to loot the Mercantile Trust company. Mingora named Joe Levin, purportedly from St. Louis, as the other gunman. Levin, in custody, denied complicity in the crime, said Chief of Detective B. H. Thurman who announced Mingora's confession.

Police admitted they still were on the lookout for Charles Arthur (Pretty Boy) Floyd, notorious Oklahoma fugitive, believed to have been connected with the robbery plot.

Reduced Cotton Rates Now Are in Effect

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—The Arkansas railroad commission Wednesday issued a notice, calling attention of all cotton shippers to the fact that restraining order obtained in federal court by the railroad to prevent rate reductions on intrastate shipments from becoming effective has expired and that the reduced rates now are effective as of December 16, 1931.

The original order, fixing a mileage scale of rates which carried an average reduction of about 11 a bale on shipments within the state, would have become effective December 16 if railroads had not obtained a restraining order. This order expired last week with further prosecution by the carriers and the commission's original order became retroactive, it was said. Officials of the railroad commission said shippers are entitled to a refund equivalent of the reduction on all shipments moved since December 16.

Woman Again Indicted in Little Rock Death

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—Mrs. Mary A. Griffin, recently acquitted of a first degree murder charge in the slaying of Luther W. Lindsey, North Little Rock policeman, was indicted by the grand jury late Wednesday on an accessory to murder charge.

She was arrested and placed in the county jail.

Her former employer, Dr. Clyde S. Roath, North Little Rock physician, is under a sentence of life imprisonment for the murder.

Lindsey was shot as he and Mrs. Griffin, a middle aged divorcee, sat in his parked automobile in a secluded place in the outskirts of North Little Rock several months ago.

Ordination Service Planned for Deacons

MAGNOLIA, Ark.—Eight deacons recently elected for Central Baptist church will be ordained at a special service at the church Thursday at which time many visiting ministers will be present. Rev. Buchanan, of El Dorado will deliver the ordination sermon.

The deacons are: Gordon Roberts, R. C. MacDaniel, Dr. Roy M. Willis, W. C. Blewett, W. W. Sorrells, Wade W. Willis, W. F. Burns, and J. A. Warren. A. L. Burns, previously elected also will serve on the board.

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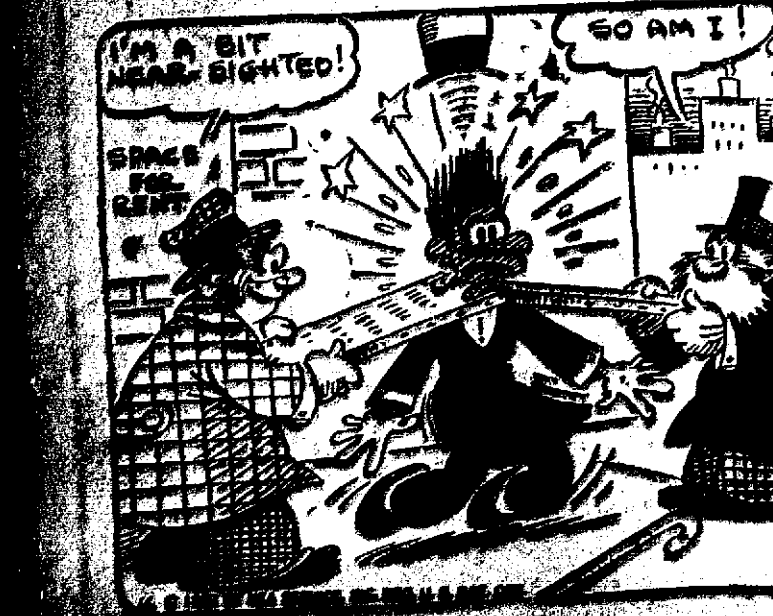
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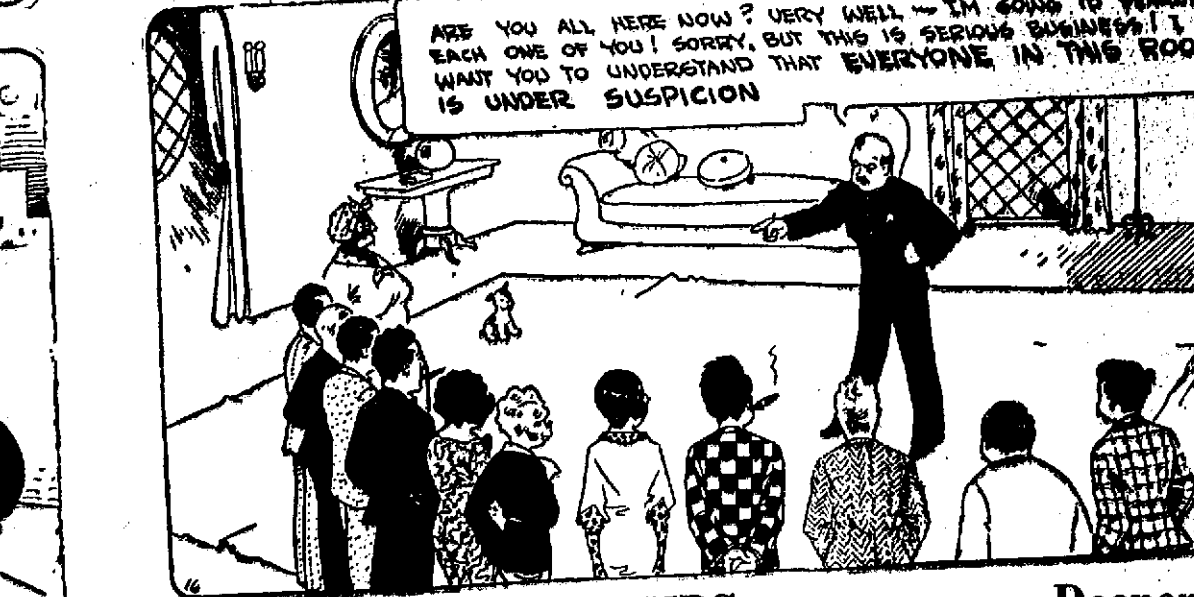
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WEEKLY BUSINESS REVIEW

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100 Loaves Per Hour From Bakery

The problem of the modern baker, says Mr. Jones, who has succeeded in convincing the housewife that any up-to-date bakery can produce bread cheaper than the home oven does.

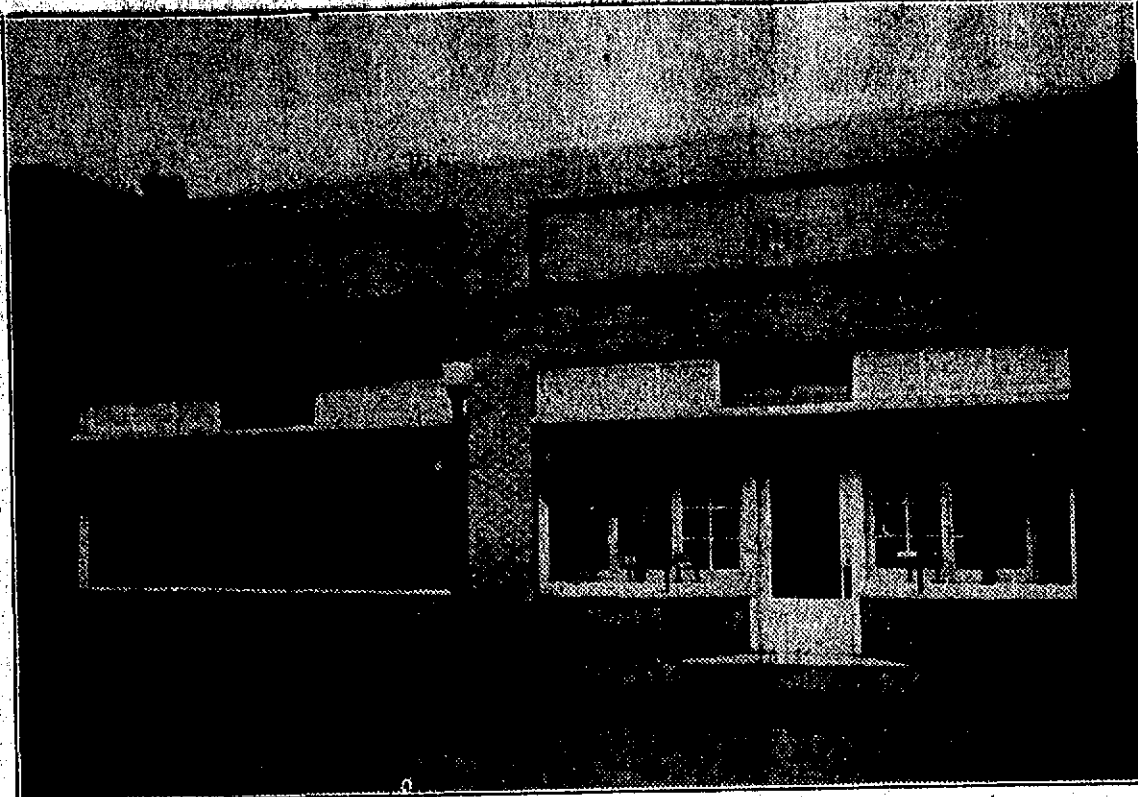
Another appeal to the housewife is relief from the drudgery of home-baking, especially during the warm months. Mr. Jones says that like most other businesses the bakery feels the impulse of changing seasons, business increasing with the advent of warm weather, when housewives, fretting over an oven, give it up and buy fresh, crisp loaves direct from a sanitary bakery whose tremendous production enables it to equal or beat production costs of the home-oven.

Mr. Jones buys flour by the carload, it is dumped in a big bin, from which it is taken by an elevator to a sifter. This filters the flour into the mixer, where all the ingredients are placed for making bread dough. The dough is removed to a trough, and then to a "brake" which presses out all the dioxide gases and smooths the dough out for cutting.

It is removed to a bench, where the dough loaves are divided, and then taken to a proofer, where low-pressure steam is applied until the dough is ready for the oven.

There are three big ovens. The dough is placed in them, and in from 25 to 30 minutes a whole army of crisp brown loaves come popping out. Running at capacity, City Bakery employs 12 men at a monthly pay roll

Beautiful Plant of City Bakery



—Photo by Shipley.

of more than \$1,000. The business has felt the pinch of hard times, along with most other enterprises, but Mr. Jones and Mrs. Jones, who handles the front office for her husband, are optimistic of the future of the city which they picked out for their home nine years ago.

There is an interesting story behind the founding of the City Bakery. Jones

& Smith used to be a street-car team in Little Rock, motorman and conductor. They joined the army during the World war, learned bread-baking in the army canteen, and came home from war to choose bread-baking as their new career. And they made a go of it, erecting in Hope a model bakery.

Mr. Jones is a director of the Arkansas Master Bakers' association, and is well known among bakery executives throughout the state.

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Nephew of Hudspeth Is Under Indictment

MARSHALL, Ark.—(AP)—A. A. Hudspeth, cashier of the defunct First State Bank here and nephew of A. T. Hudspeth, missing head of a chain of nine banks of which the local bank was an affiliate, was indicted by the grand jury Monday on a charge of embezzlement and forgery.

Twenty-one other indictments were made but not announced.

Laval and His Cabinet Defeated; They Resign

PARIS—(AP)—Defeated by 23 votes in the senate Tuesday afternoon, Premier Laval and all the members of his cabinet presented their resignations to President Doumer.

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More Road and Bridge Work in Texas Planned

AUSTIN, Tex.—(AP)—Road and bridge construction projects estimated to cost \$392,000 Monday were added to the list of contracts to be awarded by the Texas highway commission February 29 and March 1. Projects announced brought the estimated total to be placed under contract at the meeting to \$2,642,000.

New projects announced included 12 bridges, 21 culverts, 31 miles of surface improvements and three-tenths miles grading and drainage structures and concrete paving.

Postmaster at Vilonia Is Victim of Assault

CONWAY—(AP)—Attacked with a club in his office, Dalton Matthews, postmaster at Vilonia, was beaten into unconsciousness early Monday by an unidentified man. Nothing was taken from the office. Matthews' injuries are not serious. He was a victim of a similar attack a year ago.

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Cosmetics in Demand Even in Hard Times

Survey of Hope Drug Stores, Beauty Shops, Reveals Good Business

That the business of purveying aids to feminine charm and attractiveness is on the boom in Hope, despite the drouth, depression and downward trend of almost the entire commercial world, was indicated by a survey made by The Star this week.

Beauty shops here are doing a land-office business. And drug stores are selling more cosmetics and other preservatives of the divine heritage of all womankind, than ever before.

Whether this strange phenomena of present-day business is due to the fact that this is Leap Year could not be ascertained. Many of the fair damsels state in no uncertain terms that there is no great increase in marriage licenses every fourth year.

But dealers and beauty shop operators advise that the healthy condition of their patronage is due to matrons as well as those who might seek assistance from Dan Cupid shortly after Valentine day in this year of opportunity.

Mrs. B. C. Lewis, who operates the Marinello Shop, reports a volume of patronage greater than thus far in 1931. In fact business increased that year over 1930, just as 1930 did over 1929, indicating a growing trend to seek out the rouge pots, and those skilled and trained in their operation.

And all this, says Mrs. Lewis, despite much lower prices for some classes of work, especially permanent waving. She is giving many more waves now than ever before, she says.

Mrs. Audra Young and Ben Southward, owners of the White Way Beauty Shop, tell how this branch of the Division street business greatly exceeds the barber custom, from a dollar and cents viewpoint.

John P. Cox, local druggist, advises that his business in high grade

beauty aids is greater than ever before. It is the only department of his drug store which has not suffered from the slump, he says. His trade is buying the best and most reliable beauty goods the market offers, he says.

Frank Ward says he is selling more of the nationally advertised beauty preparations than ever before, but only in the popular priced lines. He reports a falling off of the more expensive brands, but not in proportion to other departments in his drug store.

John Gibson, pioneer Hope druggist, says, "You can't keep the women from buying good toilettries." He reports sales in this department holding up unusually well. The \$1 and \$2 items are selling best he says. Mr. Gibson calls attention to the tremendous decrease in the sale of chill tonics, and quinine in the last two years. This, he attributes to the fact that people are heading off malaria, just as the fair sex are heading off the ravages of wind, weather and time.

Simon Sutton, manager of the Crescent Drug Store, brings news of a gradual growth of his entire business, season after season, due, he says to the fact that the store is only two years old, and is rapidly gaining a splendid patronage. He reports unusual gains in the lower-priced aids to beauty.

A. C. Moreland's trade is close to normal in these lines. However, he calls attention to the fact that department stores are now carrying more complete toilet goods departments than ever before. He advises that since his business is strictly cash, his sales of these items have not quite kept pace with some stores.

Paul Briant's drug store reports a satisfactory business in supplying toilet goods. Moreover, he says each week's record of sales show an increase over last year, in number of articles, even though cash receipts are much lower. This is on account of the reduction in prices, he says.

But historians advise that the so-called weaker sex have always sought after methods of improving on nature, even though no improvement was necessary, since the dawn of civilization—or at least since any written record has been made, in song or story.

PITTSBURG, Tex.—A large potato house owned by Harris brothers, and containing approximately 3800 bushels of potatoes, was destroyed by fire. The fire originated from the stoves. The loss was partially covered by insurance.

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Giannini Interests in Control at Board Meeting

WILMINGTON, Del.—(AP)—A group headed by A. P. Giannini of San Francisco, in the battle for control of Trans-America corporation Monday took charge of the annual meeting of the concern and nominating a set of directors favorable to the Giannini interests.

The opposition faction was headed by Elsie Walker of New York, a man of the board who fought a battle of proxies against being ousted from control of the big holding concern.

After the announcement that Giannini interests had a majority of the proxies, that group nominated a board of directors.

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